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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

25th November 1878, No. 4,498 W.

General.

Establishment.

Read the following paper:—

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(By order,)
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Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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RESOLUTION.—The present policy of the Administration calls for the supersession in some cases, and modification in others, of these orders, and their issue, as modified, in a consolidated form. Accordingly His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the supersession of all the orders recited in the preamble to this Resolution, and, in lieu thereof, to pass the following Rules to regulate the powers of Local Governments to sanction special additions to salaries, which are not authorised by any general or special orders of the Government of India:—

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Provided that, without the previous sanction of the Government of India and Secretary of State, no such addition shall raise the total emoluments of any officer to more than Rupees 5,000 yearly.

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To the Secretary to Government of Madras, Public Works Department.

No. 293. ORDER THEREON, 25th November 1878, No. 4,498 W.

COMMUNICATED to the Secretary, Public Works Code Committee, for the necessary action.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) E. A. FOORD, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Secretary, Public Works Code Committee.

Exd. C. Howarth.

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Railway Branch

GENERAL.
ESTABLISHMENT.

Govt. of (1878) Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

THE SECRETARY, PUBLIC WORKS
CODE COMMITTEE.

Dated November 25th.

Issued

Read. *Encl.*

G. O., 25th November 1878, No. 4498 W.

NOVEMBER.
Nos. 292-293.

Powers of Local Governments to sanction special additions to salary.—Resolution of the Government of India relative to the—, communicated to the Secretary, Public Works Code Committee.

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A. R. Lumsden

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General.

To

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3. In February 1877, it was ruled that the grant of extra allowances to Government servants for the performance of duties connected with Local Funds, should be subject to sanction by the Government of India. The rule provided, however, that, when any officer, who was already in receipt of such extra allowance, went on leave, the extra allowance drawn by him might be continued to his *locum tenens*, either in whole or in part, as might be determined by the Local Government; but that, if any post to which such allowance was attached was permanently vacated by an officer, it should not be continued to his successor, unless under the special or general sanction of the Government of India.

4. In September 1877, an order was issued to the effect that, if any bonus or honorarium for work done out of office-hours was paid to any public officer, it should be recorded in the public accounts as salary and be made subject to the rules which govern additions to salary; that is to say, if the bonus or honorarium was paid to an officer whose salary was recorded in the Imperial section of the accounts, the sanction of the Government of India, in other cases the sanction of the Local Government, was required before the charge could be admitted in the public accounts, Imperial or Provincial.

5. In February 1877, again, an order was issued forbidding the grant of fees to public officers who were required to conduct compulsory examinations necessary for the efficiency of the administration. This order, however, did not discontinue the grant of fees to examiners conducting University and other examinations of a voluntary and not compulsory character, although Government might be indirectly interested in them.

RESOLUTION.—The present policy of the Administration calls for the supersession in some cases, and modification in others, of these orders, and their issue, as modified, in a consolidated form. Accordingly, His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct the supersession of all the orders recited in the preamble to this Resolution, and, in lieu thereof, to pass the following Rules to regulate the powers of Local Governments to sanction special additions to salaries, which are not authorised by any general or special orders of the Government of India:—

1. Unless, in any particular case, it be otherwise distinctly provided, the whole time of a public officer must be held to be paid for by the State, and he may be employed in any manner required by proper authority, within his own branch of duty, without claim for additional remuneration, whether the services rendered are such as might, ordinarily, be paid for from the Imperial or Provincial Revenues, or any Local Fund.

2. A Local Government may, however, sanction an addition to the pay of any officer employed under its orders for the performance of any special duty, outside the duties of his regular appointment, as a charge against any Fund administered under the Local Government including Municipal or port Trust Funds, or Wards' estates.

Provided that, without the previous sanction of the Government of India and Secretary of State, no such addition shall raise the total emoluments of any officer to more than Rs. 5,000 yearly.

3. A Local Government may also sanction a grant to any officer from Provincial Revenues, as a bonus or honorarium, for work done out of office-hours and beyond the regular duties of his office, payment for which is a proper charge against those Revenues.

4. A similar grant, under like conditions, may be made by a Local Government from Imperial Funds within a limit of Rs. 200 in each case, and on the understanding that no excess over the budget grant for the head of service concerned, is caused thereby.

5. Remuneration shall not be given under these rules for superintending examinations rendered compulsory on persons belonging to the public service, but may be granted in the case of examinations of candidates for admission to the Service, or where it has been specially authorised heretofore, or when the fees received from the persons examined meet the whole charge.

6. Excepting in the case of the examinations referred to in Rule 5, these rules shall not be applicable to any officer whose pay exceeds Rs. 1000 monthly.

7. In other cases not provided for by existing special orders, the sanction of the Government of India should be obtained to the grant of remuneration, in addition to the fixed pay of any public officer.

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ORDERED, that this Resolution be distributed for information and guidance as follows:—

(1). To the several Departments* of the Government of India.

* Original papers to be returned to the Home Department.

(2). To the several Local Governments and Administrations.

(3). To the Comptroller General, and to the several Accountants General and Deputy Accountants General in independent charge.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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General.

To

Circular No. 93 Public Works.

Dated SIMLA, November 2, 1878.

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IN THE

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No. 4498 W. Under date the 25th Nov. 1878.

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ORDER THEREON.

COMMUNICATED TO THE SECRETARY P. W. CODE COMMITTEE FOR THE NECESSARY ACTION.

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